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108TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. _____

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. GOODLATTE (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. GOSS, and Mr. OSBORNE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

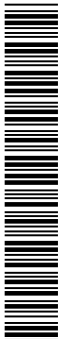
A BILL

To amend title 36, United States Code, to designate the oak tree as the national tree of the United States.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. DESIGNATION OF NATIONAL TREE.**

4 (a) DESIGNATION.—Chapter 3 of title 36, United
5 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
6 lowing:



1 **“§ 305. National tree**

2 “The tree genus *Quercus*, commonly known as the
3 oak tree, is the national tree.”.

4 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Such title is
5 amended—

6 (1) in the table of contents for part A of sub-
7 title I, by striking “, **and March**” and inserting
8 **“March, and Tree”**;

9 (2) in the chapter heading for chapter 3, by
10 striking “, AND MARCH” and inserting “MARCH,
11 AND TREE”; and

12 (3) in the table of sections for chapter 3, by
13 adding at the end the following:

“305. National tree.”.

